IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 00-6275-CR-HURLEY/VITUNAC

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff.

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CLERA OF FLA. WPB

RAMON NORTHCUT,

ν.

Defendant.

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DEFENDANT'S INVOCATION OF RIGHTS TO SILENCE AND COUNSEL

The defendant named above does hereby invoke his rights to remain silent and to counsel with respect to any and all questioning or interrogation, regardless of the subject matter, including, but not limited to: matters that may bear on or relate to arrest, searches and seizures, bail, pretrial release or detention, evidence at trial, guilt or innocence, forfeitures; or that may be relevant to sentencing, enhanced punishments, factors applicable under the United States Sentencing Guidelines, restitution, immigration status or consequences resulting from arrest or conviction; appeals or other post-trial proceedings.

The defendant requests that the United States Attorney ensure that this invocation of rights is honored, by forwarding a copy of it to all law enforcement agents, government officials,



or employees associated with the investigation of any matters relating to the defendant. Any contact with the defendant must be made through the defendant's lawyer, undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the aforementioned motion was delivered on this in the state of October, 2000, to the United States Attorney's Office, at 701 Clematis Street, West Palm Beach, Florida 33401.

Martin J. Bidwill